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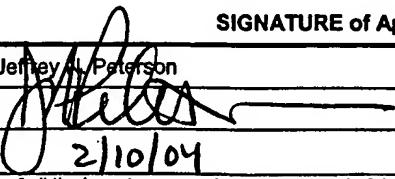
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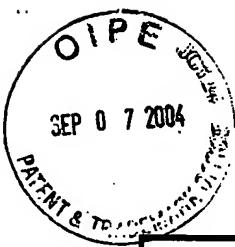
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Luke V. Schneider

Application No./Patent No.: 10/696,549

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Entitled: METHOD FOR INCREASING IONIZATION EFFICIENCY IN MASS SPECTROSCOPY

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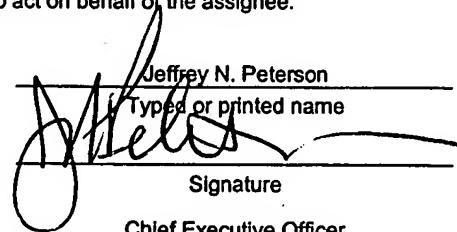
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ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

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WHEREAS, Luke V. Schneider of One Johnson Pier #30, Half Moon Bay, CA 94019 hereinafter referred to as "Assignor," is the inventor of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: METHOD FOR INCREASING IONIZATION EFFICIENCY
IN MASS SPECTROSCOPY

Date(s) of execution of Declaration: February 10, 2004

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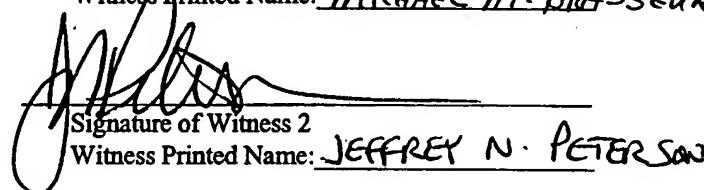
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